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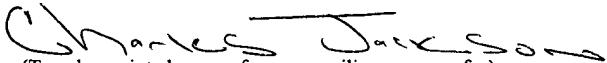
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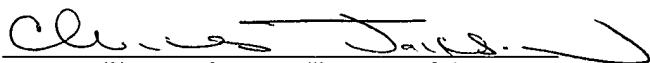
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 15, 2002, setting a one-month period for reply, Applicant provisionally elects Group III, with traverse.